

ILLINOIS SILVER IDEAS.

COOKERY AND ECONOMY.

MR. CLEVELAND DENOUNCED IN THE COOK COUNTY CONVENTION.

Ex-Congressman Bryan Tells the Delegates There Is No Such Thing as an Honest Dollar—One County Is Against the Crane Prevailing in the State.

CHICAGO, May 4.—The delegates to the Cook County Democratic Convention, called to select 353 delegates to the Springfield Monetary Convention on June 5, were slow in assembling this morning. Out of the 729 chosen, not more than half that number were present when the meeting was called to order by Francis A. Peabody, Chairman of the County Central Committee.

Judge Samuel P. McConnell was temporary Chairman. In his speech he criticized President Cleveland.

"Mr. Cleveland," said Judge McConnell, "has repudiated his party. Today we repudiate him. We stand here to-day pledged to the cause of silver. The policy of Grover Cleveland is not the policy of the Democratic party."

Every utterance against Mr. Cleveland was greeted with cheers. The temporary organization was made permanent. Ex-Congressman W. J. Bryan of Nebraska then addressed the Convention. He was not here, he said, to abuse Mr. Cleveland, but he could not help noticing against Mr. Cleveland's letter to Gov. Stone, which indicated that no man has a right to hold office in this country unless he bows to the head of the Administration. It was nonsense, continued the speaker, to attempt to read out of the party men who differed with him in opinion. Comptroller Eckels was perfectly harmless. Free silver men need not fear him.

"There is no such thing as an honest dollar," said Mr. Bryan. "There is no stable standard of value. The best we can do is to find a metal which will come near to this as possible."

Then followed a speech from Mr. Bryan and the organization it advocates such a dollar a dishonorable league is because a gold dollar, if there were no other, would be the only one in the market, the dollar poorer and the cent richer all the time. Even if we desired a single gold standard, the last enough to give us a standard at all.

When Mr. Cleveland writes a letter on some

money the Almighty himself could not tell what he means by it. There is nothing in the letter which gives him opportunity to attack Andrew Jackson, the idol of the Democracy.

That man is Grover Cleveland. Instead of silver, he wants to have a dollar.

Mr. Bryan, however, wanted to travel New York State and New England.

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